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Flyers Crash In Fog; 25 Are Killed

MILLINER LOSES HER SUIT FOR DAMAGES

(Special to Record-Herald)

MARTINEZ, March 29.—Amanda Stratton, Richmond milliner, lost her $2000 suit against the Jones & Adkison dry goods firm of that city in Superior Judge A. B. McKenzie's court today.

Miss Stratton alleges to have been forcibly ejected from the store by Charles Walker, manager of the firm.

Following the decision given by Judge McKenzie, Miss Stratton was allowed a short while in which to remove her millinery stock.

CLUB COMMENDS JOHN NICHOLL FOR SITE

The fashionable Alta Mira club of San Leandro entertained Club Mendelssohn of this city at an enjoyable musical yesterday.

Mrs. L. L. Farrell president of Club Mendelssohn states that the most appreciative part on the program was the reading of a paper on music by Mrs. E. B. Smallwood. The paper had been prepared by Miss Delia Wilsey, city librarian. Mrs. Smallwood read the paper in place of Mrs. Leroy Raven, who was unable to attend.

Following is the completed program for the afternoon:

Piano solo by Miss Irma Dearborn; reading on music, by Mrs. E. B. Smallwood; vocal solos (a) O Heart of Mine and (b) Experience, by Mrs. E. M. Ferguson, reading by Mrs. Frank E. Adams; piano solo by Miss Anna Metz; group of songs with violin and piano obligato—Mrs. Ripley and Miss Dearborn—with Mrs L. L. Farrell, as vocalist.

NEW BY-LAWS TO BE SUGGESTED FOR BUREAU

Several new by-laws will be introduced at the meeting of the board of directors of the Richmond Social Service Bureau in the courtroom of Justice of the Peace John Roth on Friday night.

M. B. Roberts, president of the Social Service Bureau will preside at the meeting.

O. L. TAYLOR SOUGHT FOR BAD $10 CHECK

The police are searching for O. L. Taylor, charged with having passed a fictitious check for $10 on Adolph Winters, florist.

Taylor is alleged to have given the check as first payment on a $75 talking machine.

ELK GRAYS WILL BE ORGANIZED VERY SOON

Active preparations were commenced by Richmond lodge of Elks last night for the organization of a drill team to be known as the "Elk Grays."

The team will rival in many respects the celebrated "White Oaks" of Oakland lodge No. 171.

A committee composed of Charles Donnelly, chairman; Levi Boswell H. D. Chapman, George Griffin and Harry Aine.

ATTORNEY TO SELL AUTO FOR CLAIMS TOTALING $285

(Special to Record-Herald)

MARTINEZ, March 29.—A legal battle of two years in the superior court ended today when Attorney D. W. Grady was ordered by Judge R. H. Latimer to sell at public auction the racing automobile owned by Tessie I. Shipman of Richmond for claims against it.

One of the largest creditors holding a claim against the car is the Mt. Diablo garage whose bill totals $285.

Grady representing the garage company was enjoined from selling the machine in 1914.

KELP REAPERS TO LEAVE HERCULES TODAY

(Special to Record-Herald)

PINOLE, March 29.—The first of the Hercules Powder company's kelp reapers will leave for San Diego today under tow of the steel tug Bahada. In about two days these will follow two hopper barges under tow of a steam schooner to act as tenders to the reaper in the kelp beds off Point Loma.

The Bahada was bought by the Hercules company from the Spreckels company in San Diego. Three more reapers are being built at the Dan Hanlon ways in Oakland, where the hopper barges are also being built. By the time all the reapers are taken south and the kelp potash works are going the Hercules company will have spent more than twice the $5,000,000 it promised to spend if the Dickie reaper proved a success.

The original reaper was designed by D. W. and R. Z. Dickie. A tentative reaper was built and tried out. It proved a success. Some alterations were made and it was again tried out in Monterey bay. The reaper that will leave today is considered perfect for the purpose.

100 GUESTS EXPECTED AT EASTERN LUNCHEON

Covers for 100 guests will be laid by the Richmond club for its Easter luncheon to be held in the clubhouse auditorium on April 12th.

Mrs. H. A. Stiver will preside as chairman of the luncheon committee.

CLUB MENDELSSOHN HOLDS A MUSICALE

A resolution commending the site offered by John Nicholl on the outer harbor for a naval academy was adopted by the Point Richmond Commercial club at its meeting last night.

Copies of the resolution will be sent to Nicholl and to California's congressmen.

Tentative arrangements were also made by the club to co-operate with the Richmond Chamber of Commerce in the three days Fourth of July celebration.

TO IMPROVE

Mrs. Berry Goodwin, of San Francisco, owner of considerable property in this city was a visitor here yesterday arranging for the improvement of a store occupied by J. J. Davis at Tenth street and Macdonald avenue.

IN PETALUMA

C. W. Stolker, 453 Tenth street is visiting with relatives for a few days in Petaluma.

EASTER VACATINO IS PLANNED

INSTITUTE WILL CONVENE HERE

PROMINENT SPEAKERS TO COME

City Superintendent of Schools W. T. Helms made public the announcement today that schools of this city would close for a short Easter vacation commencing April 7th and lasting one week.

The week's vacation will follow the sectional institute planned for teachers of this city by Superintendent W. H. Hanlon.

The institute will open on the night of April 3rd in the auditorium of the Lincoln grammar school and will close at Masonic hall in Pittsburg on the night of April 8th.

The topic for all the meetings will be practically the same. The evening lecture before the public will be under the title of "The Public, Their Schools and Their Teachers" with such variations as may seem fit. The afternoon talks will be on "What Are You Going to Do With Your Lives?"

BARTENDER WILL RECOVER FROM EXPOSURE

A night at the police station under medical attention has brought Edward Goelz, a bartender out of the semi-conscious stupor which follow his exposure on the Cutting marshes.

Goelz will recover, states Dr. C. R. Blake who is attending him.

He was found sunk waist deep in mud near the Washington grammar school where he had wandered while intoxicated.

PINOLE WOMAN ACTS QUEER; IN HOSPITAL

(Special to Record-Herald)

MARTINEZ, March 29.—Mrs. Rosa Pera was brought to the county hospital Tuesday by Constable Geo. Fraser of Pinole to be examined for insanity. She has been acting in a queer manner for several days but with the proper treatment it is thought that she will recover.

MOOSE TO ATTEND MINSTREL SHOW

Arrangements were completed at a meeting of Richmond lodge of Moose last night to attend in a body a minstrel show and entertainment which Berkeley lodge will hold on Thursday night.

The members of Richmond lodge will be chaperoned by Company F., Moose Defenders.

COMMISSION WILL BANQUET TOMORROW

Topics of interest, pertaining to Richmond, will be discussed at a meeting of the Richmond Industrial commission at the Hotel Sutter in San Francisco tomorrow at noon.

George S. Wall, president of the commission will preside as chairman for the affair.

U. S. OIL PRICE

WASHINGTON, March 29.—Representative Steenerson today introduced in the house a bill authorizing the federal trade commission to fix "just and reasonable prices for gasoline, kerosene, petroleum and fuel oil."

TORTORICI TO RETURN

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—Pietro Tortorici, who fled San Francisco more than eleven years ago, following the murder and dismemberment of Biaggio Vilardo, will again set foot in the city tomorrow night when the Shasta Limited arrived from Seattle.

FROM MARTINEZ

L. H. Grosjean, former businessman of this city, but at the present time located in Martinez was a business visitor here yesterday.

BIG ELKS COMING FOR RAISING OF NEW OFFICERS

Past Grand Exalted Ruler Raymond Benjamin of the Elks will head a party of grand officers who will preside at the annual installation of officers for Richmond lodge Twelve Fifty-One next Tuesday night.

Accompanying Benjamin will be James N. Shanley, past district deputy grand exalted ruler. Officers of Richmond lodge who will assist in the installation will be: Grand Esteemed Leading Knight, A. C. Lang; grand esteemed loyal knight, H. G. Biggs; grand esteemed lecturing knight, Dr. F. J. O'Brien; grand esquire, D. St. Claire, of Oakland lodge No. 171; grand inner guard, Joseph Dietrich; grand secretary, Fred Schram; grand treasurer, Harry Aine; grand Chaplain, Rev. Father F. J. Nolan; grand tyler, Carroll King and grand organist, L. Smith.

G.A.R. AUXILIARY IS HOST AT RECEPTION

Richmond Circle, Ladies of the G. A. R., tendered a delightful banquet and reception to department president, Miss Annette Gayetti of Los Angeles in Pythian hall yesterday.

Other officers present were Comrade H. Fernald of Los Angeles and brother of R. L. Fernald, city councilman; and Joella Bonham, department secretary.

Mrs. Anna Jarvis made a very pleasing toastmistress during the banquet.

MASONIC OFFICER IS GUEST AT BANQUET

Alrick Hammer, of Vallejo, worthy grand patron of Masonic lodges of the bay district was the guest of honor at a supper tendered him by Coroner C. L. Abbott, worthy patron of Miramar chapter, Eastern Star, at his home, 126 Santa Fe avenue last night.

Other Masonic officers present were Roy Fernald and Judge Hiram Jacobs, past worthy patrons of Miramar chapter.

STORM NEW LINE

BERLIN, March 29.—French positions north of Malancourt, near Verdun, several lines deep along a front of 2000 meters, have been stormed by German troops, the German headquarters staff announced today.

RETURNS

Mrs. C. A. Ripley, wife of a Santa Fe brakeman returned to her home here today following a short stay with relatives at Calwa.

NEW OFFICER

C. C. Spencer was last evening elected vice president of the Richmond Musicians Union. The members held their meeting in Musicians hall, 1145 Macdonald avenue.

PIONEER DIES AT HOSPITAL AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS

Henry Johnston, pioneer rancher of Giant and prominent in politics succumbed to a brief illness at a local hospital this morning.

The deceased was 80 years of age and a native of Canada.

Johnston had resided in Contra Costa county for more than 40 years.

He is survived by two sons, Milford and Truman A. Johnston and three daughters, Miss Ethel Johnston, Mrs. Edith H. Little and Mrs. Mabel A. Card.

The funeral services will be held at the Curry undertaking parlors Friday morning at 11 o'clock, interment following at Mountain View cemetery.

GIRL IS ASKED IF SHE MARRIED SLAUGHTER

(Special to Record-Herald)

OROVILLE, March 29.—As the Rev. Madison H. Slaughter sat nervously in court today, on the verge of collapse, Superior Judge Gregory, at the request of the prosecution, ordered that Gertrude Lamson, his accuser, be brought back into court to answer the single question on which the defense had built up the legal bulwarks of its case.

The question is technical, but its answer upon the record is acknowledged as highly essential to the case. She will be asked, "Were you ever married to this defendant?"

ONLY 34 NUMBERS IN NEW CHEMICAL

NEW YORK, March 29.—After reading the first five items on a requisition from the city hospitals, Deputy Charities Commissioner Wright sent for Frederick J. Kenney, the department chemist.

The items were:

Oximidodibromproacemic acid.

Dimethyloximidomesoralamide.

Dimethylamid Bazobensaldehyo.

Dimethylethonetetracarboxylic Ester.

Trisodiumphlorogiucintricarboxylic Ester.

Kenney declared they were all well known chemicals, so Wright O. K.'d the requisition.

22,050 TONS NITRATE AT POWDER PLANT

(Special to Record-Herald)

PINOLE, March 29.—More nitrate than has ever before been brought to this place at one time is being unloaded for the Du Pont de Nemours Powder company from three steamers. The shipments total 22,050 tons.

WITH FRIENDS

Mrs. Martin Joost, wife of the county tax collector is visiting with friends here for a few days from her home in Martinez.

ON BUSINESS

C. H. Ludden, Martinez merchant was a business visitor here today.

WILL LEAVE SOON

M. J. Lewis, of this city recently taken to the Martinez hospital is said to be regaining his health slowly.

BUTCHER CUTS ARM WHILE KILLING HOG

John M. Separs, a butcher at San Pablo will lose the use of fingers on nasty cut inflicted on his wrist nasy cut inflicted on his wrist while killing a hog last night.

Seven stitches were taken in the cut by Dr. C. F. Camp to whose office Sepers was taken.

BAY REFUSES TO GIVE UP DEAD IN LAUNCH WRECK

(Special to Record-Herald)

PORT COSTA, March 29.—Although the launch run down and sunk by the oil tanker Coalinga in the upper bay Sunday night has been located with grappling hooks in twenty-five feet of water, Carquinez straits has not yet given up one body of the five men who perished.

While federal inspectors of Hulls and Boilers James Guthrie, Joseph P. Dolan and Coroner C. L. Abbott are conducting an investigation into the accident here, divers from Mare Island are preparing to examine the wreck.

John Mahan, the only survivor of the launch party, will testify before the United States inspectors today. Captain Thomas Body and other officers and men of the Coalinga also will be called. Already they have said that the launch carried no lights and that they encountered it too late to avoid the accident.

BEAUTIFYING OF CLUBHOUSE IS COMPLETED

Beautification of the Richmond clubhouse grounds on Nevin avenue with trees and flowering shrubs was completed by Mrs. J. B. Osborne, chairman of the grounds committee today.

The gardening has been performed in a very artistic manner and consists of several Dracaena palms in the parkings, red roses and wisterias about the building and calla lilies at the rear of the clubhouse.

HAYS LEAVES BED FIRST TIME TODAY

Harry Hays, prominent real estate broker, who has been confined to his bed at the Raymond apartments for the past two months was able to get up today for the first time.

Hays according to attending physicians suffered from a malignant sore throat and blood poisoning.

WILL RETURN

Mrs. Fred Schram who has been visiting with her mother at Glendale, near Los Angeles for the past few weeks will return the latter part of this week.

SCORES INJURED WHEN TRAINS COLLIDE

Among the dead in the railroad wreck at Amherst, O., today the following have been identified:

Walter B. Easton, Philadelphia.

Frank Gallagher, Brooklyn.

Dora Rosenberg, Toronto.

Rev. Gustav Walyi, Detroit.

A. R. Pabheltal, manager Hungarian Theatrical association, Cleveland.

B. E. Ash, mail transfer clerk, Olmstead Falls, Ohio.

J. H. Hearn, Gallipolis, Ohio.

Malcinca Bemmoi, Indiana Har, Indiana.

Gyorgy Ojonca, Indianapolis.

Rosenodah, Indianapolis.

Mrs. Jennie Haddas, Cleveland, died at Elyria Momorial hospital.

Charles Nelson, member of Machine Movers' association, died on train from Amherst to Elyria.

D. Fruchtman, Toronto.

R. Thomas, Philadelphia.

CLEVELAND, O., March 29.—The death list in today's wreck on the New York Central Railroad at Amherst, O., at noon stood at twenty-five.

Twenty-three bodies lay in the morgue at Amherst and two had succumbed in Elyria hospitals. The toll of death was expected to reach thirty before night, as several of the injured were reported dying.

Death came to a majority of the victims as they slept.

The wreck occurred at 4 o'clock this morning during a heavy fog, railroad officials say.

Train No. 86, known as the Chicago-Buffalo "flyer," started from Buffalo late yesterday for the west in two sections. The second section crashed into the first when that train stopped at Amhers for water. Several minutes later the Twentieth Century Limited, the New York Central's crack train, crashed into a portion of the wreckage of the second section. All except three of the limited's coaches were overturned, but its passengers miraculously escaped death.

COLONISTS FROM EAST WILL BE TABULATED

Secretary H. G. Stidham of the Point Richmond Commercial club received a communication from Robert Newton-Lynch, vice president of the California Development Board of San Francisco today requesting that a sharp lookout be kept for all new arrivals from the east during the coming month.

Lynch explained that the development board was anxious to ascertain how many tourists would come to Richmond during the month that colonist's rates were offered by the railroads.

WAITE CRAZED

NEW YORK, March 29.—Insanity will be the defense of Dr. Arthur Warren Waite, accused of poisoning his father-in-law, John E. Peck, aged millionaire. Today friends of the accused dentist declared a powerful violet ray apparatus in his apartments had operated to distort his mind.

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PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARIES

Your years ago popular primaries, then in their infancy, played an important part in the presidential campaign, says the Santa Rosa Press-Democrat. The president and his predecessor went before the people in a spectacular struggle. It was assumed as a matter of course the future presidential candidates would be named by the voters directly.

And today, at the beginning of another presidential campaign, the system of popular nominations seems to have collapsed. There are twenty-two states with presidential primary laws, and the delegates from those states will number nearly two-thirds of the total in both the big party conventions. And yet the primaries will have little effect.

The Democratic party evidently regards the institution as superfluous this year, because there seems to be no opposition to Mr. Wilson, and his re-nomination is expected to be a mere formality. Many Democrats therefore object to the trouble and expense of the primaries. In the Republican party, the trouble is largely due to a precisely opposite situation—the plentitude of candidates.

There are a dozen or more Republicans and Progressives open or receptive candidates. Most of them are United States senators. And this fact has served to inject into the primary campaign the tradition of "Senatorial courtesy." Instead of fighting for the nomination as candidates on both sides did four years ago, the Republican and Progressive candidates are keeping off each other's preserves. In states that have "favorite sons" there is no contest.

Thus every competitor is keeping out of Massachusetts, in deference to Senator Weeks; out of Illinois, in deference to Senator Sherman; out of Indiana, in deference to Mr. Fairbanks; out of Iowa, in deference to Senator Cummins; out of Wisconsin, in defence to Senator La Follette; out of Idaho, in deference to Senator Borah; out of Michigan, in deference to Senator Smith; out of Ohio, in deference to Mr. Burton; out of Pennsylvania, in deference to Senator Penrose; out of New York, in deference to Mr. Root, not to mention Governor Whitman and Colonel Roosevelt.

Even in states with no local choice, there is a strange lack of competition. In the Minnesota primary, for example, no candidate except Senator Cummins and Mr. Estabook allowed his name to be used. It is probable that Mr. Root, Justice Hughes and Colonel Roosevelt at least, are going to play a big part in the proceedings of the national convention; but nobody would ever suspect it, from their present coyness.

The primaries, therefore, are going to cut little figure. The candidates will be chosen by the convention, as former candidates have been, because the politicians want it that way and the candidates want it that way, and the voters don't seem to care.

Regardless of our views on international law, we should hesitate to travel on the armed merchantmen of a belligerent nation for the next few months.

When a law suit begins to give a continuous performance, that is a sign that the lawyers are the only ones who will profit by it.

Why don't the magazine editors select something original in the way of cover designs; say the shining countenance of a good-looking girl?

THE POOREST RICH MAN

Nicholas Romanoff, czar of Russia, is said to be the richest man. He has so much money it can not be counted. One nameless and daring figure has estimated that his daily income is $550,000.

Of course, one man can not possibly spend any such amount of money. Instead of spending it the czar scarcely knews that it ever touches his fingers. Like the autocracy, the autocrat is himself an institution; he is not thought of as a personality. His wealth may strengthen the institution; it can not increase the man's personal enjoyment of life.

With poverty and suffering everywhere abundant in Russia, it may seem that the wealth of the czar is a mark of selfishness. It is nothing of the kind. Nicholas could no more stop the flow of rubles to the imperial coffers than Canute could halt the incoming tide. He is too small a part of the autocratic system either to dominate it or to profit by it.

Yet it is certain that if the time ever comes when Russia is hard pressed for money, when her national existence is at stake, the flow of gold will be automatically diverted to the national needs. The czar must exist or perish as Russia exists or perishes; his existence apart from Russia is unthinkable, his wealth is Russia's wealth.

Instead of being the richment man Nicholas Romanoff is really one of the poorest of all men, for he is nothing as an individual, his liberty of action is almost zero, his money is not truly his, but merely a part of the fuel which runs an immense national machine.

Not only these special workers but general readers should bear in mind the fact that the abnormal is widely advertised. Righteous acts, unless in some way unusual or spectacular, do not constitute news. Who can conceive of anything drearier than a list of husbands who do not beat their wives? The daily publication of lists of law-abiding citizens would be no more thrilling than the city directory. Let a preacher or a priest commit some crime, anywhere in the United States, an accounts of it will appear in all the papers. This fact is really proof that preachers and priests seldom commit crimes. There are nearly 180,000 clergymen in the United States, nearly all of whom behave themselves. The news-gathering facilities of the present incomparably surpass those of any previous period of history. There is nothing sensational that is not reported. Readers should not conclude that all the world has gone wrong, merely because they have learned about a few cases. They should rejoice that decency and uprightness are the normal condition of men and women.

Bryan brothers the Democrats about as much as T. R. aggravates the Republicans, and except for Southern Democrats, few statesmen can feel entirely comcomfortable.

It's a good time to remember this: "My Country, right or wrong; my country, always right," and insert the word "president" where the word word "country" appears.

President Wilson seems to swing the big stick more gracefully than Col. Roosevelt did, but with equal force when the occasion demands it.

HIGH OFFICERS WILL VISIT MASONS TONIGHT

Two grand officers of California will be entertained by Richmond Chapter, Royal Arch Masons in Bank hall tonight.

Grand High Priest George Gaynor of Los Angeles and Grand Lecturer Henry Ascroft of Los Angeles, are the two state officers who will visit and participate in conferring the Royal Arch degree.

AT THE REGENT THEATRE

World Film Corporation presents the five-part photoplay, "The Master Hand," based upon Carroll Fleming's well-known drama of the same name.

Nat Goodwin is the star of the photoplay, and it is a certainty that when motion picture audiences see the film they will appreciate this actor's interesting method and personality. For Nat has a part full of sympathy and kindness; he is never weary of doing good; he is the righter of wrongs; he restores dissipated fortunes; he rescues immured women; he is popular with the children and gladdens their young hearts by telling them funny stories; he is a man of business, actor, butler, stock market speculator—all in one picture. He brings years and years of stage experience to bear on his work in this film which will surely be popular whenever and wherever it is shown.

"The Master Hand" is crammed full of thrills and sensations. A wicked man has a rich wife whom he does not like, so he conspires with the lady doctor to drug her and have her placed in a sanitarium kept by a doctor of sinister reputation. The plot succeeds perfectly. Then the real drama starts. The husband loses his money by unfortunate speculations, and in his difficulties he goes to his friend, Bigelow, for assistance and advice.

Bigelow, played by Nat Goodwin, at once gets busy, and with his "master hand" smoothes out all the difficulties of the unhappy people in the play.

The villainous husband is killed, and all ends happily. But before this consummation is reached, sensationalism vies with sensationalism in exciting and maintaining our interest, and the film ranks itself as an unmistakable thriller. Two other pictures complete the program. Tomorrow Morris Costello in a Vitagraph Blue Ribbon feature, "The Man Who Couldn't Beat God," will be seen.

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VACANT LOTS—If you are obliged to dispose of vacant lots in the city of Richmond, and are willing to sell at bedrock prices, with all the inflation cut out, address Box Z, care Record-Herald office, Richmond, Cal., giving location of lots and price wanted. 2-29-tf.

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HAVE you vacant lots that you want to turn over for income bearing residence property. I have a modern five room house and two lots in central section of city, that I would consider exchanging for vacant lots suitably located. In answering give lot and block number, what value of lots are, and whether street work is paid or not. Address Box 184, Richmond, Cal. 2-29-tf

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NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete registration of voters is required by law during the year 1916.

Registration closes for the purpose of voting at election for school trustees, on March 7th, 1916; for the purposes of voting at Municipal elections of towns of the sixth class, on March 10th, 1916; for the purpose of voting at Presidential Primary election on April 1st, 1916; for the purpose of voting at August Primary election, on July 29th, 1916; and on Oct. 7th, 1916 for the purpose of voting at General Election on Nov. 7th, 1916.

You may register with the County Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated February 10th, 1916.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County, California.

The following named persons are registration deputies:

A. C. Paris, City Hall, Richmond, Cal.
Mrs. Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington Ave., Richmond.
Geo. K. Drew, 114 Washington Ave., Richmond.
I. R. Vaughn, 420 Macdonald Ave., Richmond.
Miss Nannie Nesbitt, 621 Bissell Ave., Richmond.
Mrs. Florilla Brown, Stege, P. O.
M. J. Gordon, 319 Macdonald Ave., Richmond.
Fred C. Schram, 422 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
L. J. Thole, 1928 Macdonald Ave., Richmond.
W. J. Richards, Jr., 915 Macdonald Ave., Richmond.
Mrs. Henrietta King, 234 Barrett Ave., Richmond.
Mrs. Laura B. Crampton, 624 Chanslor Ave., Richmond.
Frank M. Silva, San Pablo.
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ASSESSOR'S NOTICE

1916

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

All persons, firms, companies, corporations and associations are required to delivered at the Assessor's office, Martinez, immediately, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession, or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian, on

FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH, 1916

in accordance with the new constitution. Refusal or neglect to make such sworn statement of all property owned or held in trust, will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statement to the full penalty of the law.

All property owners should see that their property is correctly described on the assessment roll.

Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the roll has already been commenced. Proper blanks may be had at the assessor's office or of his deputies.

All statements must be in the Assessor's office on or before the 1st day of May, 1916.

G. O. MEESE,
County Assessor.

3-8 to 5-1

Regent Theater
1106 MACDONALD AVE.
TONIGHT
Admission 5 & 10¢
"HOUSE OF FEATURES"

World Film Corporation presents Nat Goodwin in "THE MASTER HAND" America's best known actor in a five part drama

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The Conquest of Constantia

SNAKEVILLE'S CHAMPION
Slippery Slim Comedy

Tomorrow—Morris Costello in a Vitagraph Blue Ribbon feature, "The Man Who Couldn't Beat God."

TRANSPORTATION LINES REDUCE FREIGHT RATES

L. J. Spence, director of traffic of all of the Southern Pacific lines, who reached San Francisco about a week ago after an inspection trip of the lines west of El Paso, left San Francisco yesterday for New York. Before his departure, Mr. Spence said:

"During the past year lines have joined in the establishment of reduced rates on a great many commoditions from the east and middlewest, including iron and steel articles from producing points in Alabama and Pittsburgh territories, and hade initiated unusually low rates by the Sunet Route to New York and other Atlantic ports upon a number of the most important products of California, including asphalt, barley, beans, canned fruit and vegetables, canned salmon, copper bullion, dried fruit and wine. Some of the transcontinental lines have made a persistent effort to accomplish the withdrawal or advance of these rates during the temporary suspension of steamship service through the Panama canal, but from the outset the proposition has been discouraged by the Southern Pacific lines, which during the past week have definitely and finally refused to withdraw or advance any of these rates. This may be of special interest to California shippers and Chambers of Commerce who have recently supported, before the Interstate Commerce commission, this company's application, made in pursuance of the provisions of the Panama canal act, for permission to continue the ownership and operation of its steamship lines from Galveston and New Orleans to New York. Since February 1, 1883, these steamship lines have been operated as an extension of our rail lines from California to Galveston and New Orleans—these rail and steamship lines forming the "Sunset Route." The operation of this route from California to New York under a single ownership and management has not only given California merchants a service which has been characterized by its efficiency but has also made possible the establishment of the unusually low rates, to which I have referred, for the shipment of California's products to New York and other Atlantic ports.

"In supporting our recent petition the California shippers evidently appreciated that a separation of our steamships from our rail lines would make it impossible to continue the low rates that have been made or to establish others which are now awaiting the authority of the Interstate Commerce commission, and they doubtless expected that the inauguration of these rates by the "Sunset Route" would give them a stability that is invaluable to the public during the temporary suspension of operations through the canal, and would not even be otherwise assured when the canal lines are in full operation, inasmuch as experience has shown that rates of the canal lines are subject to violent fluctuations. It may therefore gratify the California people to know that their confidence and support has been justified by our refusal to deprive them of these rates during the temporary suspension of canal service."

WELL-DRESSED MEN USE THEIR CREDIT

The recipe for keeping oneself well-groomed no longer depends upon a man's pocketbood. It used to, of course, as every man knows, but ever since CHERRY'S CREDIT CLOTHING STORE opened, several years ago, the number of men who dress cleverly has increased enormously.

There's scarcely a man in town who, regardless of his occupation, hasn't bought something on credit. As a matter of fact, real estate, furniture, musical instruments and many other things are seldom bought any other way.

Come to think of it you undoubtedly have heard of CHERRY'S store at 528 13th street, even if you haven't bought something there. The system at CHERRY'S is simplicity itself. You just buy what you want in the war of smart clothes and make a small initial payment. Then you arrange with the credit department a schedule of weekly or monthly installments. It's a big convenience, isn't it. Then, why don't you make the most of it?

All of CHERRY'S stores are open until 10 on Saturday evenings, and the one at 2400 Mission street, San Francisco, is open every evening. The Oakland women's clothing store is at 515 13th street, right across the street from the men's store. The two stores in San Francisco are at 2400 Mission street and 1009 Market street. Other stores are in Portland, Tacoma, Los Angeles and Sacramento.—Advertisement.

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INSIDERS DISAGREE; RECEIVER WATER CO. PROBABLE

Unless several things happen within the next forty-eight hours, which are said to be not at all likely to happen, an application will be filed for the appointment of a receiver in the Peoples Water company.

James F. Peck of Oakland, formerly counsel for the Carlston committee, but now "free and footloose," as he now declares, will prosecute proceeding on behalf of certain holders of the 6 per cent bonds of the Peoples Water company, as yet unnamed.

Snarled in the tangled skein of prospective litigation, it is stated, will be the story of a $10,000 fee, earned by Peck, but never collected, a promise made to the Carlston committee, but as yet unkept, and an abortive attempt by James F. Peck Jr., an Oakland insurance man and a son of Attorney Peck, to secure the insurance of the Oakland railways.

It will be recalled that about three months ago while James F. Peck was absent, trying the Miller & Lux case in the southern part of the state, the Carlston committee, which had been fighting the official reorganization committee headed by John S. Drum, reached a compromise with their oldtime opponents and agreed upon a modified plan of reorganization, that was subsequently submitted to the railroad commission. This plan called for the payment of 10 per cent ni new first mortgage securities and 100 per cent in new preferred stock of two issues to the holders of the Peoples Water 6 per cent bonds, which are generally termed an overlying issue.

It was understood at the time that this arrangement represented a marked concession on the part of the Carlston committee from what their attorney, James F. Peck, had been demanding.

It represented a compromise and one factor in bringing that compromise about, according to the Carlston people, was that the expenses of the Carlston committee, which included Peck's fee of $10,000, should be paid out of the earnings of the company, precisely in the same manner that the expenses of the official reorganization committee were to be paid.

After the compromise days dragged along without the payment of anybody's expenses and then the revised plan was submitted in January last to the railroad commission for its approval. No decision has been rendered yet.

James F. Peck has admitted that he had never been satisfied with the compromise as, in his judgment, it made an undue sacrifice of the essential rights of the People's Water bondholders.

According to his statement, some of the bondholders applied to him to bring a suit on their behalf and he answered that he could not do so until he had secured a release from his retainer with the Carlston committee. This release, he said he obtained last week and he added, "I am now free and footloose."

It is understood that it is only a matter of days when the suit will be filed and that Peck proposes to block the reorganization of the People's Water in precisely the same manner that John S. Drum is seeking to block the reorganization of the Western Pacific railway.

Inextricably mixed in the motives underlying Peck's promised proceedings is an incident that recently happened to his son, James F. Peck Jr., insurance man.

Young Peck applied to the committee which has charge of the San Francisco-Oakland Terminal Railways and of which John S. Drum is a member, to write all the insurance for the roads. He was promiseed the job provided his rates were lower than the existing rates which were being paid by the corporation.

Accordingly, after a careful study of the special facts governing insurance on Oakland railways, he submitted a schedule of rates that were decidedly lower than those whoch the company was paying. It is reported that John S. Drum opposed the committee giving the insurance to Peck and that the committee finally declined Peck's offer.

SIX CANDIDATES ARE INITIATED LAST EVE

Six candidates were initiated by the Womens' Catholic Order of Foresters at Pythian hall last night.

Mrs. Mary Malone, prominent member of the lodge acted as chairman of the entertainment committee for the evening. Following the initiation a banquet was served.

Hopes Women Will Adopt This Habit As Well As Men

Glass of hot water each morning helps us look and feel clean, sweet, fresh.

Happy, bright, alert—vigorous and vivatious—a good clear skin; a natural, rosy complexion and freedom from illness are assured only by clean, healthy blood. If only every woman and likewise every man could realize the wonders of the morning inside bath, what a gratifying change would take place.

Instead of the thousands of sickly, anaemic-looking men, women and girls with pasty or muddy complexions; instead of the multitudes of "nerve wrecks," "rundowns," "brain fags" and pessimists we should see a virile, optimistic throng of rosy-cheeked people everywhere.

An inside bath is had by drinking, each morning before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestibe waste, sour fermation and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Those subject to sick headache, biliousness, nasty breath, rheumatism, colds; and particulary those who have a palid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store which will cost but a trifle but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance awaiting those who practice internal sanitation. We must remember that inside cleanliness is more important than outside, because the skin does not absorb impurities to contaminate the blood, while the pores in the thirty feet of bowels do. —Advt.

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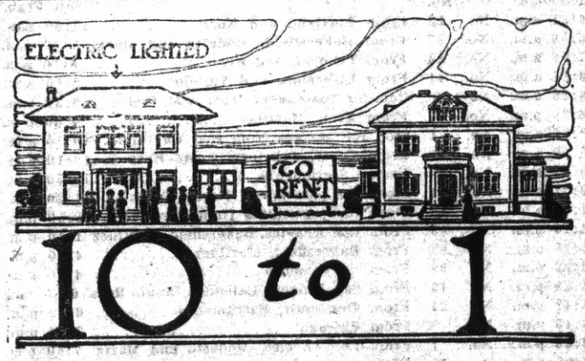

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CAPITALIST HERE

F. F. Beck, Oakland capitalist was a business visitor in this city today.

IN OAKLAND

E. M. Downer, prominent banker of this city was a business visitor in Oakland yesterday.

AT RICHMOND THEATRE

The film version of "Madame La Presidente," starring Anna Held, produced by the Oliver Morosco Photoplay company, has not lost that spirit instilled by its French author, that make this stageplay such a complete success, not only in the European capitals, London, Paris, Berlin and Vienna, but in New York as well.

The photo production rather, has added to the exceptional attraction of the story, not only because Anna Held is playing the name-part, but also the scope of the stage is not to be compared to the facilities, that were used and the expenditure that was made to bring this forth as a film play supreme. "Madame La Presidente" leaves that happy, contented feeling of having seen the best of all photo-comedies.

"Madame La Presidente" will be the feature attraction at the Richmond theater this evening. Other numbers will be the Pathe News pictures showing a complete resume of the week's news happenings and the Star Pathe production "Lonesome Luke."

CARD OF THANKS

To our dear friends who were so kind to us during the illness of our dear mother and sister we take this means of expressing our heartfelt thanks.

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September 7, 8, 11, 12.

Tickets will also be sold to Buffalo, N. Y., July 4, 5 and 6; August 1, 2 and 3; to Cincinnati, Ohio, July 11, 12 and 13; to Davenport, Ia., July 26, 27 and 28; to Chattanooga, Tenn., September 11 and 12.

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BROKER CLOSES 7 DEALS IN 5 WEEKS

R. W. Byrn, real estate dealer with offices at 911 Macdonald avenue reports seven realty deals to have closed in the past five weeks.

"Talk about hard times," remarked Byrn, "why they're getting better every day."

Yesterday Byrn closed two deals. A five room cottage and lot property of Hoyt and Green at 644 North Fourth street was sold to Fred C. Conklin for $2600. The home of Rev. Guy A. White on Castro avenue near the new city hall was sold to James L. Williamson.

CLAIMS ALLOWED BY CITY COUNCIL

At the meeting of the city council last Monday evening the following claims against the city were audited by the finance committee and allowed by the board:

J. McLean	$ 15.00
P. Walsh	10.00
A. P. Tyler	13.80
H. A. Hawkins	16.25
S. Hounsell	14.05
R. O'Brien	8.10
M. Bertera	15.00
J. Verges	15.00
T. Rogers	11.55
W. J. Osborne	17.50
C. B. Randall	15.00
C. H. Dugain	15.00
J. Germeshausen	10.60
C. H. Lea	10.60
R. H. Cunningham	15.00
J. M. Bennett	13.45
M. F. McGushin	14.05
J. R. Nesbitt	3.10
G. R. Hamner	5.00
Ernest Fetrow	5.30
Wm. Pfensig	2.50
E. Alves	27.50
F. Champion	27.50
N. M. Blankenship	23.35
J. D. Baldwin	28.85
G. G. Fronk	23.35
Daily Independent	8.18
Elizabeth Favero	8.66
Mrs. Nellie M. Scott	12.50
E. M. Ferguson	13.80
Frank Meader	14.50
J. A. McVittie	1,153.87
Total	$1,587.91

SKATING PRIZES AT OPENING OF RINK

Several fancy skating prizes will be offered by Albert Tuppurainen, of Placer county, who will re-open the Richmond skating rink on Eighth street Friday night.

A cash prize of $5 will be awarded the winner of the prize skate waltz.

SOME CNICKEN; KILLS PROWLING RED FOX

NEW BRITAIN, Conn., March 29.—C. B. Caldwell, bothered by foxes making raids on his poultry, rigged up in a hennery yard a loaded gun with string attachments. The fox prowled around again and the hens in fright ran about the yard. One hen stumbled over the contrivance, discharging the gun just when the fox was in range and mortally wounded the thief.

KING OF HOBOES

NEW ORLEANS, March 29.—Jeff Davis, "king of hoboes," who established the Hotel de Gink in New York, arrived here today on a Southern Pacific steamship from Havana. Davis says he is rich now, and that he won $55,000 on war stocks speculation.

BISHOP'S BROTHER KILLED

ST. LOUIS, March 29.—James F. Moreland, believed to be a brother of W. H. Moreland, Episcopal bishop of Sacramento, Cal., was killed yesterday near East St. Louis, while beating his way in a lumber car.

$10,000,000 LEFT

PITTSBURGH, Pa., March 29.—The will of Mrs. Lucy Carnegie, sister-in-law of Andrew Carnegie and one of the wealthiest women in Pittsburgh, has been filed here for probate. The document gives her estate, which is estimated at from $10,000,000 to $15,000,000, to her five children.

April 29.—First annual ball of Richmond branch, National Letter Carriers' association, at East Shore park.

WAR DECLARED ON THE "PEACE HAT"

War on the "peace hat," a late creation in spring millinery, is an imminent possibility. Women friends of the birds declare the dove with which the hat is trimmed must go before they will set the hat on their fair heads. They are for peace, they declare, but they say they will not advertise their principles at the price of an innocent bird's life.

Privately, those who are advocating the wearing of the "peace hat" have confessed that the alleged "dove" is not a "real-for-sure" dove at all. They say it is made of chicken feathers. Nevertheless the bird champions declare it looks like a real dove and they will not wear it. So there!

The subject has been brought to the attention of the National Association of Audubon Societies of America, the last authority on bird protection. The society is making a vigorous fight against the use of bird plumage for hat trimmings. Secretary Pearson says if the alleged "bird" is the body of a real dove, the Audubon authorities certainly are against its use in millinery.

"As long as they make these 'doves' out of the feathers of domestic birds, there can certainly be no objection to women wearing them," said Mr. Pearson, "unless perhaps it may be said that by doing so they are encouraging the general subject of feather-wearing.

"The feathers of wild birds cannot be obtained unless birds are killed," said Mr. Pearson, "and therefore should never be worn; on the other hand, ostrich feathers are legitimate as well as beautiful decorations and are approved by the Audubon societies."

KEEN INTEREST CENTERED ON OAKLAND'S MOTOR SHOW

OAKLAND, March 29.—Wanted—Young women of Oakland and nearby cities to learn how to fly at the big Pacific coast motor power show, which will be held in Oakland from April 26 to May 6. Arrangements were begun with Art Smith, the exposition flyer, before he left for Japan to take charge of this feature and if he returns in time he will be put in charge of the aviation school. If he does not return some other well known birdman will act as instructor.

Glenn Curtiss will be among the aeroplane manufacturers who will be represented at the motor power exposition and Silas Christofferson of San Francisco will exhibit. Some of the newer makes of aeroplanes and hydroplanes will also be shown. An exhibit of the aeroplanes in war purposes will also be shown and daily demonstrations of the hydroplane will be held on Lake Merritt, which is close to the municipal auditorium grounds where the motor power show will be given.

A keen interest is being taken in the aviation school by Oakland and San Francisco society women, a number of whom are striving for licenses as aviators. They will be given daily lessons until they are considered expert flyers. A number of professional aviators will give exhibitions and the aeroplane and hydroplane department of the coming exposition promises to be the most complete ever shown west of New York.

A big feature which will probably be secured for the exposition will be the start of the great transcontinental flight to test aeroplanes for war. This flight will be under the direction of the Aero club of America with headquarters in New York. Part of this flight will be over the Lincoln highway, which will be given a big impetus by the power show, part of the proceeds to be used in marking this highway from Salt Lake City to Oakland.

U. S. TROOPS ARE USING MEXICAN R. R.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—While no word has come today from Special Representative Rodgers at Queretaro concerning the request for use of Mexican railways to transport supplies to General Persing's troops, there were indications in official dispatches from General Pershing, through General Funston, that troops were using railways in the Casas Grandes district, probably with permission from the local Carranza officials.

REAL ESTATE FIRM REPORTS MANY SALES

Conn Bros. local realty operators report the sale of the northwest corner of Seventh street and Chanslor avenue owned by Mrs. W. Bennett to a local business man.

Two lots on Fourth street are also reported sold by the firm to an out of town investor.

EASTERNERS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. James Culler and son of Gas City, Kansas, have arrived from the east and are visiting for a few days at the home of Mrs. Culler's brother, Henry Turley.

IS BETTER

Mrs. M. J. Gordon, wife of the local real estate operator operated upon several days ago at St. Luke's hospital in San Francisco is reported to be recovering slowly.

NEW WITNESS SOUGHT IN PECK MURDER CASE

NEW YORK, March 29.—Detectives from the district attorney's office went to Orient Point, L. I., early today in search of Eugene O. Kane, an embalmer, who now is the most important witness in the Peck murder case.

SEA TRAGEDY NOT IN "MOVIES"; RUBY GONE

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—The schooner Ruby, bound south from San Francisco to participate in a moving picture pseudo tragedy at sea, is believed to have met with a real disaster which the screen will never record.

The Ruby, which was owned by the Fox Film Corporation, left here March 21 for Catalina harbor to join the old Fremont, Aldes Besse and other hulks which are spending their last days of usefulness in the "movies." The little craft has not been heard from since. Today she is posted as missing.

SISTER IS SICK

Mrs. Matilda Adams, sister of Deputy Sheriff Don Salutari is confined to an Oakland hospital with a slight illness.

RECOVERING

Mrs. J. E. Rogers, prominent matron of this city is reported as recovering slowly at the Martinez hospital.

EASTERN STAR ENTERTAINS

Six grand officers from Los Angeles, San Francisco and Vallejo were the honored guests of Miramar and Acantha chapters, Order of the Eastern Star at initiatory exercises held in Fraternal hall last night.

The party was headed by Alrick Hammar, grand worthy patron of Vallejo and included Elizabeth B. Wheeler, worthy grand matron of Los Angeles; Maud Nobel Haven, grand marshall of San Francisco; Mrs. J. Ferguson, grand conductress of San Francisco; J. Ferguson, grand patron of San Francisco and Mrs. Mary E. Partridge, past most worthy grand matron of the general chapter at San Francisco.

Assisting the grand officers in the evening's work were Mrs. Elizabeth Gnaga, worthy matron of Miramar chapter, Eastern Star; Dr. C. L. Abbott, worthy patron of the same chapter; Mrs. D. B. Kinney, worthy matron of Acantha chapter, Eastern Star and C. C. O'Leny, worthy patron of Acantha chapter.

At the close of the affair a number of beautiful gifts were presented the grand officers. Alrick Hammar received a cane from Miramar chapter and a portable lamp from Acantha chapter; Mrs. Elizabeth Wheeler, olive wood carving set from Miramar chapter and a hand painted vase by Mrs. C. C. Olney from Acantha chapter; Mrs. H. Blanchard received a silver pie knife from Miramar chapter and a travelling bag from Acantha, while both chapters combed in presenting to Mrs. Mary E. Partridge a beautiful bouquet of flowers.

LOCAL MENTION

Pertinent remarks about well-known People in Richmond Happenings about Town

OPERATED UPON

Jennis Cardoza, 16-year-old-daughter of Mrs. J. H. Cardoza of 435 Castro avenue was operated upon this morning at the Craven hospital for appendicitis. Drs. W. E. Cunningham, H. L. Carpenter and Irwin B. March performed the operation.

GIVEN LIBERTY

George Hurley, arrested for vagrancy last night was given a sentence of 90 days which was later suspended by Police Judge Hiram Jacobs today.

SPEAKS TO CLUB

Rev. R. S. Walker, pastor of Calvary Baptist church gave a splendid talk to the members of the Richmond club yesterday afternoon. At the close of the lecture dainty refreshments were served.

VISITS LODGE

Assistant District Attorney T. M. Carlson was a visitor at the Elks club last evening.

HERBERT DALEY STAR WITNESS IS AGAIN ON STAND

(Special to Record-Herald)

MARTINEZ, March 29.—When the John DeMartini alleged embezzlement trial was resumed this morning before Judge A. B. McKenzie, Herbert Daley, bookkeeper of the Danville branch of the San Ramon Valley Bank of Walnut Creek, was again placed on the witness stand.

In answer to questions put to him by District Attorney Thomas D. Johnston and other attorneys of the prosecution, Daley told of the solid brick walls of the building on the north and east sides; the height of the counter, partition and other details of the inside of the bank.

He explained the workings of the time-lock safe as he understands it.

Daley told of the counting of the various moneys in the institution on Friday, October 15, 1915, or three days before the $5439 was missed. He said that both he and DeMartini had counted the money; that he was in the bank throughout Friday afternoon and up to closing time on Saturday, preceding the discovery that the money was missing.

Witness explained the relationship existing between the Danville branch and the mother bank at Walnut Creek, saying that all transactions between the two were carried on in the same manner as is done with foreign or outside institutions.

He said that John DeMartini was assistant cashier and manager of the Danville branch and that he (witness) was bookkeeper.

When asked regarding the counting of the money, Attorney Jones of the defense asked that the question be put in such a manner that a direct answer would be forthcoming, that is whether the witness or DeMartini counted the money. The court sustained the defense and District Attorney Johnston put the question in such a way that the answer was that witness had counted some, DeMartini certain sums and that both had counted other sums.

The books of the bank were introduced as evidence today and Daley stated that the entries thereon showed the same as given upon the slip or teller's account.

In answer to questions by District Attorney Johnston, witness named the denominations of money and in that part of the institution is was on Saturday, October 16th, at the time the bank closed for business.

Indications are that Daley will be on the stand all the afternoon.

There was a fair sized crowd present during the hearing today.

WILL ENTERTAIN

Tomorrow evening Richmond Grove of Stags will entertain at a chicken whist party in Woodmen hall, corner of Seventh street and Macdonald avenue.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC TIME TABLE

Time table effective January 3rd, 1916. Subject to change without notice.

Leave Richmond	Train No.	West Bound—Toward San Francisco	Arrive San Fran.
6:27 a.m.	No. 13	From Portland and North	7:30 a.m.
6:52 a.m.	No. 87	From Bakersfield, Modesto and Marts.	7:50 a.m.
7:08 a.m.	No. 23	From Tonopah and Reno	8:10 a.m.
8:13 a.m.	No. 41	From Livermore and Vallejo	9:10 a.m.
8:28 a.m.	No 19	Stop for passengers from east Ogden	9:30 a.m.
6:36 p.m.	No. 33	From Avon, Martinez	7:30 p.m.
9:06 a.m.	No. 1	Stop for passgrs from east Cheyenne	10:10 a.m.
9:16 a.m.	No. 81	From Tracy, Calistoga, Santa Rosa	10:10 a.m.
9:53 a.m.	No. 45	From Sacramento	10:50 a.m.
10:37 a.m.	No. 47	Stops for passengers, North, Davis	11:30 a.m.
11:48 a.m.	No. 15	Stops for passengers from Portland	12:50 p.m.
12:10 p.m.	No. 49	From Los Angeles, Bakersfield, Martinez	1:10 p.m.
3:15 p.m.	No. 83	From Bakersfield, Martinez	4:10 p.m.
3:32 p.m.	No. 29	From Sacramento	4:30 p.m.
5:22 p.m.	No. 43	From San Ramon, Calistoga, Santa Rosa	6:30 p.m
5:42 p.m.	No. 21	From Dunsmuir, Sacramento	6:30 p.m.
6:45 p.m.	No. 5	From Chicago	7:50 p.m.
6:56 p.m.	No. 7	From Los Angeles, Modesto and Marts.	7:50 p.m.
7:35 p.m.	No. 27	From Sacramento	8:30 p.m.
8:28 p.m.	No. 53	From Portland and North	9:30 p.m.
9:45 p.m.	No. 209	From Colfax	10:40 p.m.
10:19 p.m.	No. 85	From Fresno, Newman, Martinez	11:20 p.m.

Leave San Fran.	Train No.	East Bound—From San Francisco	Arrive Richmond
11:40 p.m.	No. 86	For Bakersfield, Martinez	12:30 a.m.
11:40 p.m.	No. 54	For Seattle	12:35 a.m.
6:20 a.m.	No. 28	For Dunsmuir, Sacramento	7:06 a.m.
6:20 a.m.	No. 30	For Martinez, Newman and Fresno	7:05 a.m.
7:20 a.m.	No. 22	For Sacramento, Dunsmuir	8:08 a.m.
8:00 a.m.	No. 42	For Calistoga, Santa Rosa, San Ramon	8:45 a.m.
8:40 a.m.	No. 34	For Martinez and Avon	9:29 a.m.
9:00 a.m.	No. 24	For Tonopah	9:51 a.m.
9:20 a.m.	No. 84	For Bakersfield, Martinez	10:07 a.m.
10:20 a.m.	No. 20	(Flag) Stops for points east of Ogden	11:09 a.m.
10:40 a.m.	No. 8	For Martinez, Los Angeles	11:25 a.m.
12:00 M.	No. 30	For Sacramento, Marysville	12:48 p.m.
1:00 p.m.	No. 14	For Portland and North	1:49 p.m.
1:40 p.m.	No. 10	(Flag) Stops for points east of Ogden	2:31 p.m.
3:00 p.m.	No. 46	For Oroville, Sacramento	3:48 p.m.
4:00 p.m.	No. 2	(Flag) Stops for points east Cheyenne	4:46 p.m.
4:00 p.m.	No. 44	For Calistoga, Santa Rosa, Livermore	4:48 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	No. 50	For Bakersfield, Los Angeles	5:04 p.m.
5:00 p.m.	No. 48	For Sacramento, Oroville	5:48 p.m.
5:20 p.m.	No. 56	Daily ex. Sun. for Martinez and Tracy	6:08 p.m.
5:20 p.m.	No. 52	(Except Sunday) for Martinez, Tracy	6:09 p.m.
7:00 p.m.	No. 6	For Truckee, Reno and Chicago	7:53 p.m.
8:30 p.m.	No. 16	(Flag) For Portland and North	9:13 p.m.
6:00 p.m.	No. 150	(Sunday only) Martinez, Vallejo, Tracy	6:53 p.m.

H. A. STIVER, Agent.